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TITLE OF INVENTION: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SELECTING AND LOADING CONFIGURATION DATA INTO A REGISTER THROUGH THE USE OF A FIRST AND SECOND RESET SIGNAL

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